

Appl. No. 10/672,655
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Reply to Office Action of Jan. 26, 2006

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Examiner indicated that claim 2 is patentable in the Office Action of January 26, 2006.

Claim 1 has been amended to include the limitation of claim 2.

Claim 1 and 3-10 should now be in a form suitable for allowance.

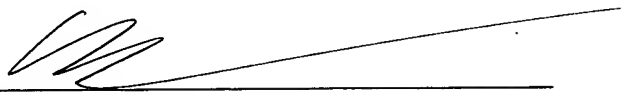
This Amendment is being submitted with a Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for Extension of Time, together with the requisite fees. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1550.

Respectfully submitted,

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